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AMENDMENT

SIR:

Applicants, in response to the outstanding Office Action mailed September 21, 2005, amend the above patent application as follows.

IN THE TITLE:

Please delete the existing title wherever it occurs, except on the Declaration and Power of Attorney, and replace it with:

--DISTRIBUTING FRAME FOR MUTUALLY CONNECTING OPTICAL
CONNECTION LINES--.